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DEATH OF CAPT. SOUTHARD.—Capt. Henry L. Southard of the New York Volunteer Engineers, and son of the late Hon. Samuel L. Southard, formerly U. S. Senator from this State, died of his wounds at Bermuda Hundred, James River on Friday last. Capt. S. was wounded in the spine near the small of the back by the explosion of a rebel shell. He was a fine officer and skillful engineer, having built some of the best earthworks in the Department of the South.

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'62; dis. Nov. 20 '63; wounded at Gettysburg. Thomas Seeley, Feb. 22 '64; dis. Apr. 2 '64. Henry Smith; dis. Nov. 30 '61. John C. Smith; dis. Sept. 2 '62; prom. lieut. 33d N. J. Alonzo Tompkins; dis. Feb. 5 '63, to join regular army. Anthony Van Order; dis. June 23 '62. John H. Webb, Feb. 3 '64; dis. Apr. 2 '64. James Wright; dis. Dec. 12 '61.

Transferred.—(The date immediately following the name in this list is that of enrollment; the second date, if any, is that of muster in; where but one is given they were the same. The figure following the date indicates the number of years for which the man enlisted. In most cases the transfer was to Co. C, Oct. 1 '64, and that will be understood to be the case where not otherwise stated). Lemuel Adams, Feb. 17 '62, 3. George F. Bayles, Dec. 11 '61, 3; to v. r. c.; dis. Dec. 12 '64; wounded. Gilbert D. Blanchard, Sept. 15 '61, Oct. 2 '61, 3; died at Andersonville. Loran L. Bodell, Aug. 19 '63, Aug. 20 '63, 3; to v. r. c., Jan. 15 '64; dis. as corp. July 25 '65. Elijah D. Bruen, Jan. 23 '62, 3; to Co. C, Oct. 1 '64; re-enlisted Feb. 14 '64; died at Andersonville. Nathan Buell, Oct. 7 '63, Oct. 8 '63, 3. Orson T. Crane, June 15 '64, 3; to Co. C. John Cusick, Sept. 15 '61, Oct. 2 '61, 3; re-enlisted Jan. 4 '64. Charles H. Davis, Aug. 18 '62, Aug. 19 '62, 3. Augustus De Forrest, Sept. 15 '61, Oct. 2 '61, 3; re-enlisted Jan. 4 '64. Aaron S. Degroot, Jan. 28 '64, 3; wounded near Cold Harbor. James Donahue, Feb. 3 '64, 3. Joseph J. Dunn, Jan. 28 '64, 3. Matthias Everson, Jan. 28 '64, 3. John Farrell, Dec. 29 '63, Dec. 30 '63, 3. Abraham K. Ferris, Sept. 15 '61, Oct. 2 '61, 3; to v. r. c. Mar. 31 '64; re-enlisted May 6 '64; dis. Oct. 27 '66; appointed corp. Sept. 15 '61; private Nov. 1 '63. William J. Flanagan, Dec. 30 '63, Dec. 31 '63, 3. Arthur Ford, Feb. 3 '64, 3; died at Andersonville. Daniel Frazier, Dec. 28 '63, 3. James Haley, Feb. 5 '64, Feb. 6 '64, 3. Stephen D. Hall, Jan. 21 '64, 3. Daniel Hand, Sept. 15 '61, Oct. 2 '61, 3; re-enlisted Mar. 10 '64; wounded before Petersburg. James Hart, Sept. 3 '64, 1. Ansemas Helbert, Jan. 23 '64, Jan. 26 '64, 3. Theodore Jacobus, Sept. 15 '61, Oct. '61, 3; to v. r. c.; dis. Oct. 5 '64. Peter M. Kane, Oct. 6 '62, 3; wounded at Gettysburg and Spottsylvania. Farrand S. Kitchel, Jan. 4 '64, 3. John Landigan, Feb. 1 '64, 3. William E. Loper, Feb. 8 '64, 3. John L. Loree, Sept. 15 '61, Oct. 2 '61, 3; re-enlisted Jan. 4 '64. William Loughran, Mar. 16 '65, 1; to Co. A. George T. Lynch, Dec. 30 '63, 3; to Co. B. Thomas Mack, Apr. 8 '65, 3; to Co. B. James Maher, Apr. 8 '65, 1; to Co. G. James McKenzie, Mar. 1 '65, 1; to Co. G. Thomas McKnight, Feb. 15 '64, 3; to Co. C. John Moran, Sept. 5 '64, 1; to Co. K, 12th reg. Patrick Murphy, Mar. 4 '65, 1; to Co. D. Benjamin Norton, Sept. 15 '61, Oct. 2 '61, 3; re-enlisted Jan. 4 '64. William E. Phipps, Feb. 23 '64, 3. John J. Provost, Feb. 11 '64, 3; to Co. H. John A. Recanio, Sept. 15 '61, Oct. 2 '61, 3; captured at Gettysburg; died in Belle Isle prison. John Sergeant, Feb. 2 '64, 3. Thomas K. Sexton, Feb. 22 '64, 3. Richard Shannon, Apr. 11 '65, 1; to Co. G. Lionel Sheldon, Sept. 29 '63, Sept. 30 '63, 3. George Shipman, Nov. 7 '62, 3; to v. r. c. Feb. 15 '64; deserted Oct. 7 '64. John Slingerland, Sept. 15 '61, Oct. 2 '61; wounded at Williamsburg; deserted Nov. 1 '62; returned to duty Apr. 7 '63; re-enlisted Jan. 4 '64. Theodore F. Smith, Sept. 15 '61, Oct. 2 '61, 3; re-enlisted Jan. 4 '64. John Speer, Dec. 31 '63, 3. Isaac Steelman, Sept. 15 '61, Oct. 2 '61, 3; to v. r. c. Jan. 15 '64; dis. Oct. 1 '64. Chilion Thompson, Jan. 21 '64, 3. David H. Thompson, Sept. 15 '61, Oct. 2 '61, 3. John W. Till, Sept. 15 '61, Oct. 2 '61, 3; re-enlisted Jan. 4 '64. De Witt Van Order, Sept. 15 '61, Oct. 2 '61, 3; appointed corp. Aug. 3 '62; private May

15 '63; re-enlisted Jan. 4 '64. Jacob C. Vanderhoof, Sept. 15 '61, Oct. 2 '61, 3; to v. r. c. Sept. 1 '63; dis. Oct. 10 '64. Theodore Van Pelt, Jan. 27 '64, Jan. 28 '64, 3. Jacob F. Welsh, Apr. 8 '65, 1; to Co. E. John W. Wilday, Jan. 27 '64, 3. James H. Woodruff, Jan. 18 '64, 3. John W. Wright, Feb. 2 '64, 3.

Died.—(These, with two exceptions, which are indicated, were three-years men. The date immediately following the name is that of enrollment and muster in. When this is omitted the man was enrolled Sept. 15 and mustered Oct. 2 '61.) Theron A. Allen, of fever, at Jersey City, June 7 '62. Drake Aumick, Dec. 31 '63; died at Washington, D. C., June 24 '64. Edgar Barber, Dec. 22 '63; killed at Wilderness, Va., May 5 '64. Charles Y. Beers, Aug. 18 '62; died at Gettysburg, Pa., July 6 '63, of wounds. Jabez Beers, Jan. 28 '64; killed before Petersburg, Va., June 16 '64. Moses A. Berry, of pneumonia, at camp on lower Potomac, Md., Jan. 29 '62. George W. Blakely, at New York, July 28 '62. Cyrus Carter, of disease, at Alexandria, Va., Dec. 6 '62. Albert T. Emory, Feb. 1 '64; died at Washington, D. C., July 1 '64. Jacob S. Hopping, at Gettysburg, Pa., July 16 '63, of wounds received there. Robert L. Jolly; appointed corp. Sept. 15 '61; sergt. Aug. 4 '62; private May 15 '63; died at Gettysburg, July 22 '63, of wounds received there. Hendrick Kinklin, Mar. 2 '65, 1 year; died of dysentery at Alexandria, Va., July 3 '65. William Long, at Fairfax Court-house, Va., Aug. 31 '62. John R. Lyon, Sept. 3 '62, of wounds received at Bull Run, Va. Lemuel A. Marshall, Mar. 22 '62; died at Washington, D. C., Nov. 1 '62. John McDonough, Dec. 22 '63; died at Washington, May 26 '64, of wounds received at Spottsylvania, Va. Charles B. Mott; killed at Chancellorsville, Va., May 3 '63. George W. Peer, at Yorktown, Va., May 13 '62, of typhoid fever. Allen H. Pierson, near Petersburg, Va., June 19 '64, of wounds received before Petersburg June 17; re-enlisted Mar. 10 '64. Spafford Sanders, of typhoid fever, at Budd's Ferry, Md., Apr. 19 '62. John H. Tillotson, of typhoid fever, at Budd's Ferry, Md., Apr. 28 '62. Jacob Wilsey, Mar. 1 '65, 1 year; died at Alexandria, July 6 '65. Joseph C. Spencer; killed before Petersburg. James M. Woodruff; killed at Mine Run.

CAPTAIN SOUTHARD'S ENGINEERS.

The next company to leave the county was that of Major (then Lieutenant) H. M. Dalrymple, who raised a part of Captain Southard's company for the 8th engineer corps—Company K of the 1st regiment of New York engineers. The company was entirely made up of New Jersey men. Its captain, Henry L. Southard, was a Jerseyman by birth and son of the late Senator Southard of this State. He was killed while on duty at Bermuda Hundred, Va., in May 1864. Lieutenant Henry M. Dalrymple, also adjutant of the regiment, succeeded to the command and retained it during the operations in front of Petersburg and Richmond, until mustered out of service in December 1864, at the expiration of his term of three years' service.

The company served with the regiment in the Department of the South, engaging in all the various operations under Generals Sherman, Hunter, Mitchell and Gilmore. It participated in the siege of Pulaski, the battle of Pocataligo, the expedition to Charleston under Hunter, and the siege of Fort Sumter and Charleston under General Gilmore, erecting the famous Swamp Angel battery,

which threw the first messengers of death into Charleston.

Early in the spring of 1864 the regiment was ordered to the Army of the James at Fortress Monroe and Bermuda Hundred, and did hard work under General Grant in his operations in front of Petersburg and Richmond.

The following is a list of names of the Morris county volunteers who entered this company:

Henry M. Dalrymple, Frederic B. Dalrymple, John Franks, Samuel McNair, William H. Lounsbury, Hiram Tharp, Joseph Scudder, Wellington Bryant, Amadee B. Pruden, Edward De Camp, Wesley Chidester, Mahlon Parsons, William H. Porter, Thomas M. Palmer, John Wright, Charles J. Pownall, William G. Denman, George W. Skillborn, Charles Stevens, Edward Tucker, William Thompson, John W. Mills, Elijah W. Grandin, Benjamin C. Durham, William Tuttle, Jacob B. Willis, Alvah Handville, John Oliver, Daniel Brown, William S. Cannon, Edward Cobbett, Edward W. Cobbett, Moses Corby, James K. Dalrymple, Caleb M. Emmons, Alonzo Edgar, Evans Jones, Abram Kinnecutt, Ira Lewis, George W. Lewis, George Lindsley, Thomas Levigs, Joseph Miller, James McCormick, William McQuaid, Theodore Nungesser, John N. Nungesser, Thomas N. Nichols, William H. Tucker, Edward Tester, James Tyms, Charles M. Thomas, Samuel Tebo, George Vanderhoof, Lewis Weise, John Powers, George L. Valentine, James C. Vale, Thomas E. Wolfe, Edward Wolfe, Charles Lewis, Manuel Decker.

THE PRESIDENT'S GUARD.

Captain William Duncan, of the Morris Greys, being unable to get his company accepted in a New Jersey regiment, raised one for the District of Columbia volunteers, to be attached to the President's guard. On the 28th day of January 1862 he left Morristown with 70 men of whom 42 were from Boonton. On their departure they were addressed by the Rev. Mr. Ellison and Rev. Mr. Irving. A large concourse was assembled to see them off. The following is the roll of the company:

Captain, William Duncan; first lieutenant, George Willenbacher; sergeants—Theodore Riley (1st), W. W. Carroll, Abram Kingsland, Elias Millen, Joseph Smith; corporals—Jacob R. Peer, Jesse Jennings, Anthony Adams, John Moreland, Sam Brooks, Josiah Davison, Barney McMackin, A. M. Halliday; privates—W. M. Atkins, Daniel Benjamin, Aaron E. Bonnell, William Babcock, William R. Bishop, William Bryan, Henry Bronson, James Burk, Charles Conklin, Daniel Carey, Patrick Clark, John Conley, Daniel S. Cravet, James Daley, Arthur Drew, Franklin Eghan, Horace Elmer, Charles Evans, Henry C. Fedes, Charles Grinder, Abraham Gulick, William Gray, Nicholas Hill, William Hopler, S. B. Harrison, Samuel Horner, Robert Hudson, Joseph Hartman, Henry D. Ianson, John Jennings, Joshua Jenkins, Michael Kennedy, John W. Kelley, John Lowery, James List, Cornelius Miller, G. B. Phineas Meyers, Thomas Murphy, Thomas E. Miller, David Marston, James McCoy, Peter McFarland, James McNulty, George Oliver, Peter Peer, Nelson Peer, Merinus Peer, George W. Pierson, Timothy L. Palmer, Mitchel Robear, Elias J. Roff, Harry Reese, George Sharp, Edward J. Smith, Garret Smith, Whitaker Taylor, Jacob N. Thatcher, Ira Van Orden, John Vanduyne, James T. Vanduyne, George Weir, George M. Whitehead, Frank Wildeman, James Whitten, Theodore Wilkins, William Young.

CHAPTER XVI.

THE ELEVENTH NEW JERSEY REGIMENT—BATTLES AND LOSSES OF COMPANIES E AND H.

IN May 1862 the governor, in anticipation of the call for 300,000 three-years men which was made July 7th, authorized the recruiting of men for the 11th New Jersey volunteers. Captain Dorastus B. Logan at once commenced raising a company, afterward mustered as Company H of that regiment. On the 18th of June he took 29 men to the rendezvous, Camp Olden at Trenton. When the call came from the governor, July 8th, in pursuance of the President's call of the day before, for four regiments, this company was rapidly filled. At the same time Thomas J. Halsey of Dover began the raising of Company E for the same regiment. He was commissioned major September 14th 1863. Robert McAllister was colonel. The 11th was mustered into the United States service Aug. 18th and left Trenton for Washington Aug 25th. After remaining near Washington till Nov. 16th the regiment was attached to Gen. Carr's brigade, Sickles's division Army of the Potomac. It served through the war, participating in the following engagements, all in Virginia excepting Gettysburg:

Fredericksburg, December 13th and 14th 1862; Chancellorsville, May 3d and 4th 1863; Gettysburg, Pa., July 2nd and 3d 1863; Wapping Heights, July 24th 1863; Kelly's Ford, November 8th 1863; Locust Grove, Nov. 27th 1863; Mine Run, November 29th 1863; Wilderness, May 5th-7th 1864; Spottsylvania, May 8th-18th 1864; North Anna River, May 23d and 24th 1864; Tolopotomy Creek, May 30th and 31st 1864; Cold Harbor, June 1st-5th 1864; Baker's Mills, June 10th 1864; before Petersburg, June 16th-23d and July 30th 1864; Deep Bottom, July 26th and 27th 1864; North Bank of James River, Aug. 14th-18th 1864; Ream's Station, Aug. 25th 1864; Fort Sedgwick, September 18th 1864; Poplar Spring Church, Oct. 2nd 1864; Boydon Plank Road (capture of Petersburg), April 2nd 1865; Amelia Springs, April 6th 1865; Farmville, April 6th and 7th 1865; Appomattox, April 9th 1865.

Following are the records of the Morris county companies in the 11th regiment:

COMPANY E.

OFFICERS.

The following officers were commissioned or enrolled at the dates immediately following their names, and all but one of them for the period of three years. Where but one date is given it was also that of muster-in. Where two are given the last is the date of muster-in. The date of muster-out, where not otherwise indicated, was June 6th 1865:

Captains.—Thomas J. Halsey, Aug. 19 '62; prom. major Sept. 14 '63. Edward E. S. Newberry, Nov. 17 '63, Jan. 7 '64; enlisted as private Co. D 3d N. J.; prom. 1st lieut. Aug. 19 '62; resigned captaincy Jan. 28 '64 to

of the family are requested to attend without further notice.

SOUTHARD.—On Friday, June 3, from wounds received at Bermuda Hundred, Captain HENRY L. SOUTHARD, Company K, First New York Volunteer Engineers, son of the late Hon. Samuel L. Southard, of New Jersey.

The funeral will take place from the Church of the Transfiguration, East Twenty-ninth street, near Fifth avenue, on Saturday afternoon, at three o'clock. The relatives and friends of the family, and of his sister, Mrs. Ogden Hoffman, are invited to attend, without further invitation.

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SMITH.—Killed, in battle, on Tuesday, May 31, Sergeant